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SUBJECT: CLEARANCE FOR U.S. PURSE SEINER TRIAL SETS

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1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED RESPONSE FROM FOREIGN MINISTRY TO OUR REQUEST FOR AUTHORIZATION TO CONDUCT TRIAL SETS DESCRIBED REFTEL. THE FOREIGN MINISTRY REPLY SAYS AUTHORIZATION CANNOT BE GRANTED BECAUSE COORDINATE RECTANGLE GIVEN FOR GEOGRAPHIC POSITION WHERE TRIAL WOULD TAKE PLACE PARTIALLY INVADES COLOMBIAN TERRITORIAL WATERS UNDER THE LIMITS ESTABLISHED BY THE PANAMA-COLOMBIA TREATY, SIGNED IN CARTAGENA IN NOVEMBER 1976, ON THE DEMARCATION OF MARINE AND SUBMARINE AREAS.

2. FOREIGN MINISTRY NOTE ADDS, HOWEVER, THAT IF THE CHOSEN PLACE WERE NOT SUBJECT TO THIS OBSTACLE AND WERE LOCATED ONLY IN PANAMANIAN WATERS, U.S. TUNA VESSELS WOULD HAVE TO COMPLY WITH THE FOLLOWING STEPS:

- A) REQUEST INDIVIDUAL PERMITS FOR EFFECTING SCIENTIFIC TRIALS;
 - B) PRESENT A PROGRAM WITH A CALENDAR;
 - C) IDENTIFY THE DESTINATION OF THE TUNA FISH;
 - D) COORDINATE WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF MARINE RESOURCES OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY THE EXPERIMENTS TO BE CARRIED OUT, IN ORDER THAT THEY MAY NOT BE HARMFUL TO THE MARINE
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RESOURCES OF THE REPUBLIC OF PANAMA.

3. TEXTS OF OUR NOTES AND OF THE FOREIGN MINISTRY NOTE AND INFORMAL TRANSLATION BEING POUCHED SEPARATELY.

4. EMBASSY SUGGESTS THIS MAY BE AN APPROPRIATE SUBJECT FOR DISCUSSION BETWEEN SOUTHWEST FISHERIES CENTER

PERSONNEL AND PANAMANIAN REPRESENTATIVES AT THE UP-
COMING IATTC MEETING IN SAN DIEGO.
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